(a) whether the Public Accounts Committee, in its report tabled in Parliament on 24tli Febuary, 2006 had stated that the trend indicates that extraneous consideration seems to have weighed with the concerned authorities while admitting students to Kendriya Vidyalayas;

(b) whether from 1.37 per cent in 2001-02, the share of students admitted on the Ministry's recommendations leapt to 23.97 per cent in 2004-05;

(c) whether their gain has ment a loss of seats for Government employees' wards whose share in admissions fell from 56 per cent in 2001-02 to 43 per cent in 2004-05; and

(d) if so, the rationale and justification thereof?

THE MINISTER OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRI ARJUN SINGH): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) No, Sir. as per Admission Guidelines of Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan (KVS), only 100 seats are allocated for the children of the employees of the Ministry of Human Resource Development over the above the sanctioned strength on the recommendation of the Ministry. This constituted 0.09% of fresh admissions in 2001-02 and 0.06% in 2004-05.

(c) and (d) No. Sir. However, there has been a decrease in share of transferable Central Government emplyees' wards in the total admissions mainly because of opening of new schools in areas not having large presence of transferable Central Government employees.

Survey of Kendriya Vidyalayas

*456. SHRI RAJNITI PRASAD: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan has conducted any survey of the achievement level of its students at upper primary and elementary level;

(b) if so, the results thereof;

(c) if not, the reasons therefor;

(d) whether Kendriya Vidyalaya, INA Colony undertakes any quality assessment of its students at upper-primary and elementary level and also involvement of teachers to improve quality of students; and

(e) if so, the result thereof?

THE MINISTER OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRI ARJUN SINGH): (a) to (c) Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan (KVS) has conducted a survey through Learners Achievement Test for class V students of Kendriya Vidyalayas in April 2006 with standardized question papers in Maths, English and Environment studies. The results are given in the enclosed Statement (See below).

- (d) and (e) Kendriya Vidyalaya, INA Colony was not part of the survey on the Learners Achievement Test. However, Kendriya Vidyalaya, INA Colony assesses achievement of its students regularly through unit tests, and half-yearly and session-ending examinations.

Statement

Survey results of Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan

Four Kendriya Vidyalayas on random basis from each of 18 regions (one each from Civil Sector, Defence Sector, Project Sector and Remote area) were selected for administration of the test.

Total 9981 students appeared in the test and results are as under:—

OVERALL PERFORMANCE
TOTAL STUDENTS: 9981

Marks Slab	Number of Students	Percentage
Below 35%	575	5.76
35% to 60%	4504	45.13
60% to 80%	4120	41.28
Above 80%	782	7.83

SEX-WISE PERFORMANCE

TOTAL GIRLS: 4317

Marks Slab	Number of, Students	Percentage
Below 35%	205	4.75
35% to 60%	1936	44.84
60% to 80%	1857	43.02
Above 80%	319	7.39

SEX-WISE PERFORMANCE ■

TOTAL BOYS: 5664

Marks Slab	Number of Students	Percentage
Below 35%	369	6.51
35% to 60%	2570	45.37
60% to 80%	2263	39.95
Above 80%	463	8.17

OVERALL FINDINGS IN LANGUAGE (ENGLISH)

TOTAL STUDENTS 9981

Marks Slab	Number of Students	Percentage
Below 35%	540	5.41
35% to 60%	4150	41.58
60% to 80%	4114	41.22
Above 80%	1177	11.79

OVERALL FINDINGS IN MATHEMATICS
TOTAL STUDENTS: 9981

Marks Slab	Number of Students	Percentage
Below 35%	2262	22.66
35% to 60%	4982	49.92
60% to 80%	2208	22.12
Above 80%	529	5.30

OVERALL FINDINGS IN ENVIRONMENTAL STUDIES (EVS) TOTAL STUDENTS: 9981

Marks Slab	Number of Students	Percentage
Below 35%	585	5.86
35% to 60%	3000	30.06
60% to 80%	4287	42.95
Above 80%	2109	21.13

OVERALL FINDINGS
TOTAL STUDENTS: 9981

Marks Slab	Percentage in		
	Maths	Language	EVS
Below 35%	22.66	5.41	5.86
35% to 60%	49.62	41.58	30.06
60% to 80%	22.12	41.22	42.95
Above 80%	5.30	11.79	21.13

Incomplete power projects in Tenth Five Year Plan

†*457.SHRI RAVI SHANKAR PRASAD:
SHRI RAM JETHMALANI:

Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to state:

†Original notice of the question was received in Hindi.